Here's a quick trivia test, based on entries in the Encyclopedia. Correct answers are at the bottom.

- 1. Inventor of the Gatling gun, Richard Jordan Gatling, was born in what county?
 - A) Harnett
 - B) Mecklenburg
 - C) Orange
 - D) Hertford
- 2. The annual Hollerin' Contest in Spivey's Corner began in:
 - A) 1920
 - B) 1969
 - C) 1887
 - D) Nobody knows when it began
- 3. Krispy Kreme Doughnuts Corporation was founded in what year?
 - A) 1920
 - B) 1967
 - C) 1890
 - D) 1937
- 4. What are Maroons?
 - A) People who possess a red pigment to their skin
 - B) Individuals who live below the poverty line
 - C) Escaped slaves who lived in swamps and forests
 - D) Deserters of the Confederate Army during the Civil War
- 5. Where did Caleb Bradham invent Pepsi-Cola in 1893?
 - A) Raleigh
 - B) Durham
 - C) Greensboro
 - D) New Bern

ANSWERS: 1 (D); 2 (B); 3 (D); 4 (C); 5 (D)